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Capital Murder Arrest

The Wichita Police Department (WPD) has arrested 25-year-old Daniel Lopez of Wichita for capital murder, criminal possession of a firearm, aggravated assault, and two outstanding Sedgwick County warrants.

Lopez was arrested without incident Friday night at a residence in the 4600 block of South Gold. Officers followed up on information that Lopez was at the home of family members.

Lopez was wanted for a felony Sedgwick County warrant for the shooting deaths of 24-year-old Mickayla Sorell and her 8-year-old daughter, Natalya Sorrell.

At approximately 4:25 p.m. on Monday, March 31, officers responded to the call of a welfare check at a residence in the 4500 block of South Walnut, after Sorell did not report to work. Upon arrival, officers located both victims deceased inside the residence.

The investigation revealed that the shootings took place on Saturday, March 28. Lopez was identified as the suspect in the case and was subsequently charged by the Sedgwick County District Attorney's Office on Friday, April 3.

The Wichita Police Department extends its gratitude to the community for its support and assistance during this investigation.

The associated case numbers are 20C019612 and 20C019613.